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Docket No. 25436.249.2.3



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In re application of

Yonglin Huang et al.

Serial No. 09/702,280

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For: OPTICAL POLARIZATION BEAM COMBINER/
SPLITTER

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
PO Box 1450
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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that the shortened statutory period which was set for responding to the Office Action dated December 20, 2002, in the above-identified patent application be extended for three-month until June 20, 2003.

Form PTO-2038 submitting Credit Card Payment in the amount of \$930.00 is enclosed herewith for payment of the fee associated with this Petition, as set forth in 37 CFR § 1.17. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee or to credit any overpayment in

connection with this Petition to Deposit Account No. 23-3178. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefore and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 23-3178.

Dated this 20th day of June 2003.

Respectfully submitted,



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